

Seminole County Mosquito Control Regular Meeting of the Advisory Board

Bldg 149 Bush Loop, 5-Points Sanford, Florida 32773

February 11, 2010 10:00 AM MINUTES



Call to Order 10:10 a.m. by Kelly Deutsch

1) Roll Call / Report

Present:

Kelly Deutsch, SCMC Program Manager

Alan Hill, City of Winter Springs No report.

Steve Spencer, City of Casselberry No report.

Dave Dovan, City of Lake Mary No report.

Marie Duffy, on behalf of Bilal Iftikhar, City of Sanford No report.

Karl Henry, Health Department Reported isolated case of disease activity in Casselberry (covered in *New Business*).

Also Present:

Shari Holt, Program Specialist, SCMC.

Absent:

Dave Waller, City of Oviedo Mike Insley, City of Altamonte Springs Bob Langley, City of Longwood

2) Approval of the Agenda

The City representatives and SCMC agreed to make additional changes to the current Agenda as needed during the course of the Advisory Board Meeting.

3) Approval of the Minutes of December 9, 2009

A Motion to approve the minutes of December 9, 2009 by Alan Hill, and seconded by Marie Duffy. Motion passed.

4) New Business

- **a)** Kelly Deutsch introduced herself, and gave the Board background information on her experience and qualifications as SCMC's new Program Manager.
- **b)** K. Deutsch stated that the seasonal positions should be posted soon; she is not sure how many employees she will need at this point in time.

c) The Health Department recently alerted SCMC that there was an isolated case of Dengue in Casselberry. Karl Henry from the Health Department stated that the individual had recently returned from a trip to Haiti, and at this point there is no additional information. The Health Department will keep SCMC informed with any follow up information on the case. Also, K. Henry wanted to know if the County had the contact information in regards to the sentinel chickens. S. Holt stated that she had left a voicemail for Paul Sandoval, who will acquire the funds for the County to purchase and pick up the chickens.

5) Discussions

K. Deutsch stated that in order for SCMC to have an operational IPM Program, the focus will need to be on mosquito identification and creation of a background database. Additionally, she would like to use the US Army Corps of Engineers tables to classify wetland areas. This information will be useful in operational decisions. SCMC will provide a list of classifications and sub-classifications to the Cities. The County is also working on completing a Field Manual for seasonal and full-time employees, a copy of this will also be provided to the Cities. K. Deutsch has completed a mission statement for the Program and will email a copy to the Cities, any additions and input will be discussed in the next meeting.

K. Deutsch had questions regarding any protected areas within the County. The City reps were not sure who has control of the protected areas; M. Duffy suggested contacting County employees in Water Quality and Environmental Services for additional information.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:45am. Next Regular Meeting: April 8, 2010 at 10:00 A.M.